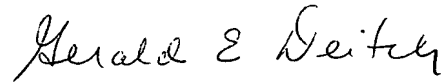


**REMARKS**

This is a divisional application in which Claim 3 will be prosecuted. It is respectfully requested that the amendment above be entered before examination of the application.

In view of the foregoing, allowance of the above-referenced application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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